



Northern Inland Lakes Citizens Fishery Advisory Committee

Established by the Michigan Department of Natural Resources, to improve and maintain fishery resources through better communication and partnership.

Agenda

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Thursday, April 18, 2013

Littlefield-Alanson Community Building

7631 US 31 Alanson Michigan

12:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

12:00 Welcome and introductions (Frank Krist-Chair, and Tim Cwalinski-DNR Facilitator).

12:10 Survey and project goals for the third and final year of the comprehensive walleye study in the Inland Waterway. Where did we come from and where do we go from here? (Dave Borgeson/other DNR; Maxwell Field, Little Traverse Bay Band of Odawa Indians and Seth Herbst, Michigan State University).

1:00 Movement of walleyes fitted with digital transmitters within the Inland Waterway (Seth Herbst, MSU).

1:20 Zooplankton and larval walleye trends in the Inland Waterway (Ryan MacWilliams, MSU).

1:50 Initial conversations to map current walleye spawning habitat in Mullett Lake with the potential goal of future enhancement (Roy Tassava, Mullett Lake Area Preservation Society).

2:20 Break.

2:30 Monitoring mercury levels in Crooked and Pickerel Lakes (Kevin Donner, Little Traverse Bay Band of Odawa Indians)

3:00 Management of cormorants in Michigan and how that relates to the Inland Waterway (Dave Borgeson, DNR)

3:20 Management updates (DNR and LTBB)

3:40 Updates and comments from the Advisors and public

4:30 Adjourn

Next meeting Monday October 14, 2013